

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Prices of food grains—	Current.
Boiled rice (2nd sort)	Quantity per rupee
Ragi	Not received.
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)	By the standards
	seer of 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Moderately supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Manure is being carted to fields in Nelamangala, Magadi and Anekal Taluks, and ploughing operations are going on in all the taluks.
Seeds sown.—Sowing of til (yellu) is going on in Bangalore, Magadi and Anekal Taluks and it is just finished in the Nelamangala Taluk. Sugar-cane is being planted in the Jala hobli of the Devanhalli Taluk, and cholum is being sown in Channapatna and Magadi Taluks.
Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in Bangalore, Magadi, Channapatna is in good condition and in Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi and Anekal it is in a fair condition. Paddy crop in Hoskote, Magadi and Channapatna is in a fair condition and mulberry crop in the Closepet Sub-Taluk is in a good condition.
Damages to crops.—Nil.
Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Nelamangala.
Estimated outturn.—8 annas.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Food stuffs are available, but at high prices. Cooly classes find labour.
11. Except for plague in only one village in the Anekal Taluk and small-pox in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Magadi, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good. Six imported cholera cases (of which one died) are reported in the Devanhalli Taluk.
12. Except for Dodroga in parts of Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.
9. *Seeds sown.*—Gid ragi and sugar-cane in parts of the Mulbagal and Malur Taluks respectively.
Crops harvested and their outturn.—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Goribidnur and Malur Taluks. Yield 8 to 10 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Malur Taluk. Yield 8 to 12 annas. Nati ragi and chillies in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas 8 as respectively.
10. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing of dry fields is in progress in parts of all the taluks, in consequence of the recent rains.
Distress.—Not reported.
Food stock.—Ragi is not sufficiently supplied; other food grains are available. Burma rice is sold at taluk headquarters stations at 5 seers per rupee.
10. *Prospects of the season.*—Promising. Prices of food grains stationary. Cooly classes find labour.
11. Public health is generally good. Cholera is still prevailing in parts of the Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Kolar, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks.
12. Cattle are generally healthy except for Rinderpest in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivasapur Taluks. Pasture available. Fodder not sufficient. Water available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluk; Jola in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks. Til in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks; black gram and green gram in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Maddagiri, Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 6 to 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola, haraka, ragi, navane, castor and til are reported to be in fair condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Reported to be fair. The supply to the market is adequate in all the taluks and sub-taluks of the district.

11. Except for small-pox in parts of Gubbi and ague and fever in Tiptur Taluk, the public health is reported to be good.

12. Except for Rinderpest in parts of Gubbi Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied generally. In Hunsur it is reported to be fair.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manure collected in most of the taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of Mysore and Heggaddevankote Taluks; jola in parts of Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, and Krishnarajpete Taluks; mulberry until in parts of Chamrajnagar, Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks; Gidda ragi in Krishnarajpete Taluk; and kar ragi in Hunsur Taluk. Togari and castor in parts of Chamrajnagar Taluk. The transplantation of paddy is going on in Chamrajnagar Taluk.

Standing crops.—The standing crops are jola, togari, til, castor, sugar-cane, mulberry, cotton, ragi, avare, halasandi, tadagani, kar paddy, black and green grams, and they are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane (8 annas) and cotton (8 annas) in Gundlupet Taluk.

Damages done to crops.—The jola crop in Malvalli Taluk was reported to have been damaged by (ಬಿಡುಕು) insects. The amildar has been written to, to report the action taken by him against the pest.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague and cholera in Hunsur Taluk and small-pox in parts of Heggaddevankote, Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete and Yedatore Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Dodroga in parts of Chamrajnagar and Nanjangud Taluks, and Bale roga and Chappe roga in Yedatore Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is fairly supplied except in Arkalgud shandy.

9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane in Hassan, Belur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, kar paddy in Belur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, and kar ragi in Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Kar paddy in Hassan and Arsikere Taluks is being harvested.

Seeds sown.—Ragi and paddy in Hassan, Arkalgud and Belur Taluks are being sown.

Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed for sowing crops throughout the district.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. No unusual movements of either men or of cattle are reported.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in some parts of Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks and small-pox in Hole-Narsipur, Channarayapatna and Arkalgud Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk and cholera in parts of Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are moderately supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and manured in parts of Shimoga, Channagial, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.
- Seeds sown.*—Seeds are being sown in parts of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk.
- Standing crops.*—Newly planted sugar-cane in parts of Shimoga, Honnali, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks and in Kumsi Sub-Taluk and kar paddy in parts of Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in a fair condition. More rain is wanted for sugar-cane.
- Crops harvested.*—Nil.
10. Rain is wanted in all the taluks. Prices of food stuffs continue to be high.
11. Except for small-pox in the Shimoga Town and in parts of the Shimoga Taluk, public health is reported to be generally good.
12. Except for Rinderpest in Shankarapura village of Tirthahalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available in moderate quantities.

KADUR.

8. The markets were fairly supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of all the taluks and sub-taluks in the district.
- Crops sown.*—Mudgere, Koppa and Chikmagalur Taluks—paddy. Chikmagalur Taluk—ragi. Kadur Taluk—cholum, til, green-gram and black-gram.
- Standing crops.*—Mudgere and Koppa Taluks—Kode-paddy. Mudgere, Koppa, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks—sugar-cane. Kadur Taluk—kar paddy.
- Standing crops are reported to be in good condition.
- Crops harvested.*—Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane and kar-paddy, estimated yield 8 annas.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available, but their prices continue to be very high. Rangoon rice is being sold at 5½ seers per rupee in the Government Depots.
11. Public health is generally good, except for small-pox in parts of Chikmagalur Kadur, Koppa and Mudgere Taluks.
12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets well supplied in the taluks of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur, Molakalmuru and Harihar and moderately supplied in others.
9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane and cotton are reported to be in fair condition.
- Seeds sown.*—Jola in the Chitaldrug Taluk; jola and til in the Holalkere Taluk; jola cotton and castor in the Jagalur Taluk; jola til, castor and togari in the Hosdurga Taluk. It is reported that ploughing operation is going on in other parts.
- Crops harvested.*—Paddy, cotton and sugar-cane in the Chitaldrug Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas; paddy in the Challakere Taluk, yield 4 annas; paddy and cotton in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; paddy in the Holalkere, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas.
10. Prospects of the season are not yet very assuring. Some good showers are required to improve the situation. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Food stuffs are available in limited quantities.
11. Public health is reported to be generally good.
12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for foot and mouth diseases in the village of Rampur of the Molakalmuru Taluk. Water is available for the present. Supply of fodder is getting scarce.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER,
IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 27th May 1919.

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